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Photo Exhibit on WPA Opens; To Reach Greenbelt in Fall

by Peter Durentine

"The WPA and Maryland," a photo exhibit and lecture, opened on Monday, December 6, in the Maryland Room at McKeldin Library at the University of Maryland. The exhibit displays enlarged historic photographs taken in the 1930's of various WPA projects around the state. The lectures were given by Arthur Rothstein, Associate Editor of Parade magazine, and University of Maryland American history Professor, Keith Olson.

The exhibit, which was to be shown in Greenbelt this past October as part of the Centennial celebration honoring Roosevelt but cancelled when funding did not come through in time, will be coming to Greenbelt Library in September, 1983.

The WPA (Works Progress Administration) was one of the many programs implemented by the Roosevelt administration during the Depression (1929-1940). The WPA, a New Deal program which ran from 1935 to 1943, was designed to put the unemployed back to work. The WPA offered many types of works programs, such as the Federal Writers Project, the Federal Artists Project, and the Federal Construction Project.

Greenbelt itself, the sculpture murals that adorn the side of Center school and the mother and child statue at the center, are all projects of the WPA.

Dr. Olson, the first speaker, described both the New Deal and the WPA. "Roosevelt did not try to change the basic structure of state and federal government," Olson told the audience. "He just wanted to put the country on its feet."

Olson further explained that the WPA and other New Deal projects did not solve the problems of the Depression, but instead helped in boosting morale and inspiring confidence.

Arthur Rothstein, who spoke of his experiences as a photographer during the 1930's, offered a slide presentation showing many of the photographs he had taken during the Depression. One of these photographs was his famous dust bowl picture. Taken in the mid 1930's in the Oklahoma Panhandle, it depicts a man and his two young sons walking together across a field of sand with an old barn in the background.

"It's the most reproduced photograph of the twentieth century," Rothstein commented, as he explained the photograph. Rothstein was hired in 1935 by the FSA (Farm Services Administration—also a New Deal program) as a photographer.

"I was the first photographer hired because Roy (Roy Stryker, head of the FSA) knew me from college. I was one of his students."

During the course of his lecture, Rothstein brought up Greenbelt and Rexford G. Tugwell, who was instrumental in the creation and building of Greenbelt.

"..... Greenbelt still operates today," said Rothstein, "and is still a nice place to live, I understand."

The photographs, enlarged and framed, were displayed around the room, each depicting some of the projects that took place in various counties around Maryland. Some show men at work on sewer systems, sidewalks, and construction of farm-to-market roads. Others depicted people mending books for the Federal Writers Project and artists and sculptors working in a finishing room for the Federal Artist Project. Unfortunately there are no photographs of Greenbelt.

The exhibit was conceived, produced, and organized by University of Maryland Archivist Mary Boccaccio and funded by the Maryland Committee for the Humanities. The selection of photographs was compiled by photo-historian Dr. Constance B. Schultz.

The exhibit will be on display at the University of Maryland

CHRISTMAS TRASH TRUCK

The city will have a refuse truck parked beside Suburban Bank, Centerway, on Christmas Day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for the convenience of residents.

Castaldi Serves on Many Panels for P.G. Council

Prince Georges County Councilman Richard J. Castaldi will serve as the county's representative to the Washington Suburban Transit Commission (WSTC). In this capacity he will sit on the Metro Board, the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA).

Former Greenbelt Mayor Castaldi is past chairman of the Transportation Planning Board and has served nine years on the Council of Governments, including terms on its Board of Directors.

Castaldi will also be vice chairman of the Special Committee on Housing Policy and Community Revitalization, vice chairman of the Special Committee on Government Performance and Fiscal Policy, alternate to the Board of Directors and a member of the Transportation Planning Board, and the Rules Committee.

until the end of December, at which time it will travel around the state with Greenbelt on its itinerary for September. A video tape of the lectures given by Dr. Keith Olson and photographer Arthur Rothstein will accompany the exhibit as it tours the state.



NOTICE OF VACANCY MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL

THE CITY COUNCIL OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND IS SEEKING APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE CITY COUNCIL TO FILL AN EXISTING VACANCY, WITH A TERM EXPIRING IN SEPT. 1983.

COUNCIL HAS SCHEDULED A PUBLIC HEARING FOR TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1983 AT 8 P.M.

IN THE CITY COUNCIL ROOM, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 25 CRESCENT ROAD, GREENBELT, MARYLAND, TO RECEIVE PRESENTATIONS BY AND IN BEHALF OF INTERESTED CITIZENS.

CANDIDATES, WHO MUST BE QUALIFIED REGISTERED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT, ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT THEIR RESUME OR CURRICULUM VITAE PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC HEARING. CANDIDATES ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO FILE A FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1982.

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORMS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE CITY CLERK.

DEADLINE FOR FILING OF APPLICATIONS AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS IS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1983.

CANDIDATES WHO HAVE NOT FILED THEIR FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IN A TIMELY FASHION, EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY HAVE APPEARED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING, WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR APPOINTMENT TO FILL THE COUNCIL VACANCY.

Gudrun H. Mills, CMC
City Clerk

Maryland Trade Center Site Grading Completed

All site preparation work for several future buildings at the Maryland Trade Center Park has been completed, according to Coakley & Williams, Inc. The 34-acre site is located in Greenbelt, south of the Greenway Shopping Center.

Already completed on the site is the Maryland Trade Center I, which was completed in September, 1981. The 16-story, 192,000-square-foot solar-bronze glass building is the tallest commercial building in Prince Georges County. Tenants of the fully leased building include O.A.O. (whose initials have given the building its "second" name), I.B.M., Lockheed, Bradford Communications, and others.

A second office tower of the same size is scheduled for opening in January, 1984. "Discussions with several prospective anchor tenants are ongoing," said Craig Burton, Vice President of Leasing for Coakley & Williams. A third high-rise office building is slated for opening sometime later, based on market demands.

Also planned for the Park is a full-service hotel and a 2,000-seat banquet and conference center. The hotel, to be owned and oper-

ated by Coakley & Williams, will feature 212 guestrooms, a restaurant and a lounge. It is scheduled to open in September, 1983. (Originally amenities such as full-scale dining facilities were not planned for the hotel.)

The banquet/conference center will feature space available for meetings and functions of groups ranging from 25 to 2,000 people. The facility will be operated by Martin Reznick of Martin's West, a catering operator based in the Baltimore area. Once completed, the facility will be the largest of its kind on the Capital Beltway.

Coakley & Williams owns and manages over 1.5 million square feet of hotel and commercial property and has operated in the Washington area for over 20 years. The firm's corporate headquarters is on the 16th floor of the Maryland Trade Center I.

Museum Advocates Meet With Council

by Bill Rowland

The concept of a Greenbelt Museum took a slight step forward when close to a dozen interested citizens met with the city council during a council work session on December 13. Ray McCawley, as spokesman for the group, asked council to involve itself in the project by appointing a "board of directors" to serve as the formal "umbrella group" under which organizing, financing, and housing a museum could take place. McCawley also asked council to designate North End School as, at least the initial home for a museum.

McCawley emphasized that the museum should not be financed from city appropriations, but that initial help from city staff would be needed in learning about possible sources of outside funding that might supplement citizen contributions.

The council members agreed that a museum should be established within the city, but expressed varying opinions as to the extent to which the city government should or should not become involved. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld eventually asked that the citizen group prepare a written proposal spelling out the options considered by the group and their preferences from among those options. After city staff reviews and comments on the written presentation, he said, council could then consider the matter further, with a public hearing to be held before any final decisions are made.

HOLIDAY REFUSE SCHEDULE

Because of the New Year's Holiday, Friday, December 31, 1982, there will be no refuse collection that day. Monday and Tuesday of that week will be on regular schedule. THERE WILL BE NO PAPER PICK UP ON WEDNESDAY. Thursday's pick up will be made on Wednesday and Friday's pick up will be made on Thursday. Bundled newspapers can be brought to the Public Works Building between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday that week.

Low-Interest Loans For GHI Homes

The Housing Authority for Prince Georges County recently issued \$35.9 million in mortgage revenue bonds. Proceeds from the sale of these bonds will enable the county to make available Growing Equity Mortgages at 10½ percent to buyers of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. homes (as well as seven condominium properties).

At the invitation of Housing Authority Executive Director Earl W. Morgan, numerous lenders submitted bids to service the mortgage loans. Of these, Weaver Bros., Inc. was selected on the basis of "... their very good reputation and their extensive experience throughout the metropolitan area in servicing mortgage loans," according to Max Campos of the Bond Mortgage Financing Division of the Housing Authority.

Below - market financing through these mortgage loans will be available primarily to prospective buyers who have not owned a principal residence within the last three years.

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News Review Carriers Bring Season's Greetings

Around this time of year it is customary for the News Review delivery boys and girls to make personal calls on the homes they service to present Christmas cards and greetings. The News Review's financial position is such that we cannot pay our carriers very high remuneration. They are therefore dependent on generous holiday donations to supplement their nominal pay.

Most of our carriers range in age from pre-teen to the middle teens. For the younger boys and girls, delivering the News Review is their first job experience. Many of the older carriers started at a young age and continue to deliver the News Review mainly as a service to their neighborhood. It is a learning process for all these youngsters and, in some cases, the instillation of responsibility takes time and patience.

The holiday season affords us all a chance to show appreciation and to provide encouragement for the efforts of these youngsters and at the same time to show understanding for any failings that might have occurred during the year.

Greenbelt Grab Bag

by Punchin' Judy

My little friend Sylvester is five years old. "I'm real worried," he told me.

"Why would a munchkin like you worry?" I asked. "You've got a life expectancy of eighty or ninety years. Plenty of time for worry in the future."

"It's Santa Claus," he explained.

"That's something to be concerned about," I admitted. "Haven't you been good?"

"So, so," he said. "No worse than usual. But what about Rehab?"

"Rehab? What does Rehab have to do with Santa Claus?" I asked.

"Plenty," he informed me. "They're fixing our roof. 'Do you think Santa is going to land his reindeer in all that tar?'"

"Oh, my goodness!" I exclaimed. "I never thought of that."

"And the chimneys," he went on. "Now that we have electric heat what will happen to the chimneys?"

"I don't know," I said. "I hope that Santa will still find his way. There's a video game I'm hoping he'll bring me."

The boy was momentarily distracted. "Can I play with it?" he asked. "Can I, can I?"

GHI NOTES

GHI offices will be closed December 24 for the Christmas Eve holiday.

Next week members will receive notice of the 1983 month charges for their units.

Final inspections for heat and hot water conversion work are now being done. Other rehab work is winding down. Daily schedules of this work are available on the rehab hotline (474-6644), which members may call for information about rehab.

Members are reminded that the common areas are not dumping grounds. To have trash collected, please call the city special trash number (474-8004).

"May I," I corrected, "And yes, if you wash your hands first and if Santa manages to get to us in spite of the roof and chimney problems."

Sylvester pondered deeply, while I fixed him some milk and cookies.

"Well," he finally said, having wiped some crumbs off his chin with his sleeve. "Santa is magic, he'll find a way. He always does, doesn't he?"

"You're right, I said, much relieved. 'He always does.' Merry Christmas!"

Caroling at Lutheran Christmas Service

Christmas carols by candlelight will highlight the Christmas Eve service beginning at 10 p.m. at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 6905 Greenbelt Road. Special music will be provided by the adult and youth choirs. The Rev. Edward H. Birner, pastor of the congregation, will deliver the Christmas message. The service will be signed for the benefit of the deaf and hearing impaired.

Other Christmas services include a Christmas Eve Vespers at 7:30 p.m. with special music by the junior choir. A Christmas Day Festival service will begin at 11 a.m.

Holy Cross will continue to gather food, clothing, and toiletries for the needy throughout the Christmas season. These items may be brought to any or all of these services and on Sunday morning at 8:30 or 11:15 a.m.

*Wishing all the Joys
of the Christmas
Season
To Our
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Charlie and Pat Brown

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10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
First and third Sundays
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
Second and fourth Sundays
Rev. John G. Bals, Rector
422-8057

Community Church Holds Christmas Service

The Greenbelt Community Church will hold its annual service of Communion and Choral Music on Christmas Eve, at 8

p.m. The service will feature candles, Christmas scripture selections, special decorations, and Christmas music by the combined choirs. There will also be congregational singing of familiar carols.

Mowatt Memorial

United Methodist Church

40 Ridge Rd. 474-9410

Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Rev. Ira C. Keperling, Pastor

474-1924

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Rev. David Conway, Pastor

Rev. Francis G. Kazista, Associate Pastor

CHRISTMAS MASSES:

December 24: 6 p.m. (children's liturgy), 7:30 p.m.
Midnight (carols begin at 11:30 p.m.)

December 26: 8 and 10 a.m., 12 noon

(There will be no 6 p.m. mass Saturday, December 25)

SUNDAY, DEC. 26: 8, 9:30, 11a.m., 12:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Thursday, Dec. 23: 7 to 9 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 24: 11 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 to 2 p.m.

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Celebrate Christmas

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CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Vespers. Christmas anthems by the Junior Choir

10:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelighting Service. Anthems by the Adult and Youth Choirs. Pre-service music begins at 9:30 p.m. The service will be signed for the benefit of the hearing impaired.

CHRISTMAS DAY FESTIVAL SERVICE

11:00 a.m. After the excitement of opening gifts, visiting with friends and relatives, a time to gather with brothers and sisters in Christ and praise God for the unspeakable gift He has given us His Son. Anthems by the Youth Choir.

A Christmas Message will be delivered at each service by Pastor Birner

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES

8:30 and 11:15 a.m. Worship Services with Holy Communion. The Rev. Karl K. Schmidt will preach.

9:50 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes

Edward H. Birner, Pastor
345-5111

Scott Wycherley,
Director of Christian Education

Greenbelt Community Church



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Church School for All Ages -

11 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship and Church School

8 p.m. Dec. 24 - Christmas Eve
Candlelight Communion Service
Rev. Sherry Taylor and
Rev. Harry Taylor co-pastors

Letters to the Editor

New Doors Needed To the Editor:

Comments have recently been made about the current GHI board majority's "penny wise, pound foolish" approach to providing for the long range security of the corporation's physical plant. An excellent example of this potentially very damaging attitude toward finances is provided by the board's decision to merely weatherstrip the existing doors on GHI frame, brick and block homes. These doors should be replaced with advanced, highly insulating outside doors with magnetic seals.

Replacing our existing doors with new doors offers several advantages:

(1) The new doors would be much more highly insulating than the weatherstripped present doors.

(2) The new doors would not warp as the present doors have. This makes the present doors often difficult to close. Also, warped doors generally continue to warp, which will require new weatherstripping.

(3) Many present doors have cracks and mail slots that increase air infiltration causing drafts and thus requiring a higher room temperature setting for the same degree of comfort. Uncontrolled air infiltration has been shown to be a very poor method of inside air quality control in a number of studies. It is far better to remove air moisture at its source by venting bathrooms and kitchens.

(4) The new doors would have standardized locks which could include deadbolt locks. These features, when combined with the more rugged construction of the replacement doors, would offer much greater security against burglary.

Additionally, the new locks would make GHI maintenance of the doors much easier.

My recommendation of these doors is based on the experience I have had with new insulated doors that were installed in my home more than three years ago. They are highly satisfactory. They sure beat repeated calls to GHI maintenance to attempt to fix the warped and nearly half-century-old doors I used to have.

S. A. Curtis

ST. HUGHS MATH WHIZZES

On Saturday, Dec. 4, a math team of 8th grade boys representing St. Hugh's School competed against teams from 24 Washington area schools. The contest was held at Good Counsel High School in Wheaton. Teams competed both for team and individual prizes. St. Hugh's team placed 6th in a field of 24 schools. Against a field of 124 students, James Gibson tied for 7th place and Andrew Olek for 8th.

Name a Woman To the Editor:

The recent election of former Greenbelt mayor Richard Castaldi to the county council has created a city council vacancy. It has been nine years since we have had a woman sitting on the Greenbelt city council.

Our county and our state have produced numerous fine leaders who just happened to be women, including Gladys Spellman, Barbara Mikulski, Joan Pitkin, Pauline Menes, and Lorraine Sheehan. There are three women on the county council, six on the school board, and three in the Maryland Congressional delegation but there's not one on the Greenbelt city council. Other municipalities in Prince Georges County have councilwomen and four have women mayors. Not that we should have a Greenbelt woman named to the council merely because she is a woman, but there are many women in Greenbelt with political experience who would be fine councilpersons.

Women have made recent political gains but are still lagging behind their male counterparts. This is an excellent opportunity for the citizens and city council of Greenbelt to reaffirm their commitment to appointing women to key political offices. Greenbelt, long a bastion of progressiveness, should not forget its women. The city council should name one of the many qualified women in Greenbelt to its ranks.

Suzanne Plogman
President
Northern Prince
Georges National
Organization for
Women

PEPCO Payment Plans

The Potomac Electric Power Company has established a variety of payment programs to make bill paying as convenient as possible. There are an average payment plan, extended payment date plan, third party notice plan, and time payment arrangements. Customers wanting additional information about these payment plans should call PEPCO at 833-7500 between 8:30 a.m. and 5:15 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack 746

Several awards and prizes were announced during the November 18 meeting of Cub Scout Pack 746 at Mowatt Memorial Church. Cubmaster Laurence Woodworth informed the group that Pack 746 had won second prize for the "Mother Nature" hunt at last month's Camporee at Greenbelt Park; Dan Miller's identification of leaves helped obtain the red ribbon. A certificate of recognition for work at the Camporee was presented to Webelos leader Daniel Miller. Elaine Jones announced that the pack had won second prize in the Co-op Poster Contest for the poster "Cooperation Keeps Greenbelt Green" and that, as a result, the Co-op would provide refreshments for the next meeting. Badges were awarded as follows: Nick Jones as sportsman, Jerome Farley as artist, naturalist and outdoorsman, Brian Veitenthal as artist, David Woodworth as outdoorsman, sportsman, aquanaut and traveler. The Bear Badge was presented to Kevin Hause and the Bobcat to Brian Veitenthal. Den Mother Virginia Hunt announced that 32 bags of clothing were collected for Goodwill.

Two New Firms Leasing At Capital Office Park

Chrysler Credit Corporation has leased over 2,800 square feet at Capital Office Park, 6305 Ivy Lane. Leasing 7,000 square feet is Mission Engineering Corporation. Julien J. Studley, Inc. is the leasing agent.

PGCC Offers Health Course for Seniors

Prince Georges Community College is now conducting a free health, exercise and fitness program especially designed for senior citizens. This course will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9 until 11 a.m., beginning Jan. 17 and ending April 4, at Springhill Lake Recreation Center.

Mild supervised exercises, designed by the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports, will be featured. The objectives of the course are to increase flexibility and improve muscle tone.

Other activities include golf, group exercises, health films and special events.

To register or for additional information, call 322-0158, from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. on weekdays.

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JANUARY 1983 COUNCIL

MEETINGS

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS IN JANUARY, 1983 HAVE BEEN RESCHEDULED FROM THE 1ST AND 3RD TO THE 2ND AND 4TH MONDAY RESPECTIVELY

AND WILL, THEREFORE, BE HELD ON MONDAY, JANUARY 10

AND

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1983.

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Unclaimed Tax Refunds

The Internal Revenue Service has 1,550 tax refunds, averaging \$442.00, for area taxpayers they can't find.

Ted Kern, IRS Director for Maryland and the District of Columbia, said today that the 1981 Federal Income Tax refunds totaling approximately \$685,000.00, range in amounts from as low as \$1.00 to as high as \$12,247.00. The checks were returned to the IRS as undeliverable by the U.S. Postal Service. "Some taxpayers move and don't leave a forwarding address," said Kern, "Others marry and change both name and address." Still others file tax forms with incorrect address information.

Following is a list of Greenbelt residents whose refund checks were returned to the IRS: Adler, Diane C.; Dash, Gregory C.; Farrell, John J. and Debra D. Jr.; Gramlich, Robert C. and Rebecca D.; Green, Charles L.; Jones, Daniel L.; Katz, Kellie and Rooney, Maurice E. Jr.

Anyone who is expecting a 1981 or a previous recent year's refund, and hasn't already contacted IRS, should call 488-3100.

PGCC Offers Tax Course for Elderly

Prince Georges Community College is offering a free course, "Income Tax for Senior Citizens," at the Greenbelt Youth Center.

Students will receive training in tax preparation along with hints on tax-saving techniques.

This course will be held from 1:30 until 3:30 p.m., Mondays beginning Jan. 31 and ending March 28. Because of limited enrollment spaces, senior citizens who wish to take the course should register by Jan. 17.

For additional information, call 322-0879. To register by phone, call 322-0898.

RACE RESULTS

Greenbelter John Munns led three other Greenbelters in a D.C. Road Runners 5 mile run in Greenbelt National Park on November 27. Tim Gavin of Gaithersburg set a new course record of 25:47 in beating John Hubbel of Alexandria by 12 seconds. Greenbelt runners finished as follows: John Munns 27th in 31:53, Owen Jones 38th in 35:24, Lee Johnson 39th in 35:27 and Diane Grollman was 53rd and second female in 37:31. Kristine Riddle of Laurel was the first female in 36:34.

PGCC OFFERS CURRENT EVENTS CLASS TO ELDERLY

Prince Georges Community College is offering a free course, "Current Issues for Senior Citizens," at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center, 6111 Cherrywood Lane, on Mondays, 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m., beginning Jan. 31 and ending March 14. The course will cover world and national news issues.

Pre-registration is required because of limited enrollment spaces. Students should register by Jan. 14.

For additional information, call 322-0879.

PGCC Holds Registration At Eleanor Roosevelt

Late registration for Prince Georges Community College's off-campus credit-courses will be held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on Monday, Jan. 17, from 6 until 8 p.m.

Students may also register for courses at this location on the Largo Campus from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. Jan. 17 through Jan. 21, and from 9 a.m. until noon, Jan. 22. Students will be charged a late registration fee.

For additional information, call 322-0783.

Police Blotter

Compiled by Mavis Fletcher

A woman employee of a Beltway Plaza business was robbed at gunpoint as she was making a deposit in the night depository of the Equitable Trust bank. The robbery took place at 10:15 p.m. on December 18. The police department would like to remind citizens that a police escort is available on request for persons who need to take cash to a bank depository.

A woman who had had dinner at Jasper's in Greenway shopping center was assaulted when she entered her car on the parking lot. She was beaten about the head with a wooden club and her purse was stolen. The victim was treated at Doctor's hospital and released.

Five automobiles were stolen over the weekend, two on Mandan Rd. and two on Hanover Parkway. One was stolen on Cherrywood Lane. Two cars were recovered.

A home on Canning Terrace was broken into by sliding open an unlatched window and a home on Lakeside Drive was also broken into. In neither case was anything missing.

A home on Empire Place was entered and a camera was reported stolen.

Two new police officers have joined the Greenbelt department. Officer J. Michael Rasmussen was sworn in at the city council meeting on November 22 and Officer W. Daniel Allwang reported for duty on November 29.

*We Wish
All Our Friends
In Greenbelt
A Joyful
Holiday Season
George Loutsch Family*

Seniors Creative Writing Offered at Springhill Lake

Prince Georges Community College is offering a free course in creative writing for senior citizens at the Springhill Lake Community House, 6220 Springhill Drive.

This course will be taught by a local author and journalist, on Mondays from 10 a.m. until noon, beginning Jan. 24 and ending March 26.

Pre-registration is required because of limited enrollment spaces. Students should register by Jan. 10.

For additional information, call 322-0879.

CARES Helps Job Seekers

Greenbelt CARES offers job search assistance to individuals 16 and older. Anyone interested in learning a proven method of uncovering job leads and interviewing successfully for positions may call 345-6660. This service is free of charge.

BLOOD NEEDED

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Gudrun H. Mills, CMC
City Clerk

ATTENTION GHI MEMBERS

Board and Management are aware that some members, particularly in the block homes, are experiencing moisture and condensation problems in their units. While several members are having extreme problems, others appear to have only condensation on their windows or to have resolved the situation in their units. We are analyzing the situation to determine the degree of the problem, causes and possible solutions. Please fill out the questionnaire below and return it to the Staff Architect, GHI, via the night depository. We will get back to you for further information. Thank you.

Survey of Moisture Problems

Name: Address:

Phone: Home Work

Type of Unit: Brick Block Frame

1. Are you experiencing moisture or condensation problems in your unit? Yes No
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4. Any comments or suggestions?

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Recreation Review

Holiday Hours

Hours for use will be extended at both the Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center during the holiday season. Facilities will be open as follows:

Friday, Dec. 24—noon to 6 p.m.
Sat., Dec. 25—noon to 11 p.m.
Sun., Dec. 26—1 p.m. to 10 p.m.
Mon., Dec. 27—noon-10 p.m.
Tues., Dec. 28—noon-10 p.m.
Wed., Dec. 29—noon to 10 p.m.
Thurs., Dec. 30—noon-10 p.m.
Fri, Dec. 31 — noon to 6 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 1 — noon to 11 p.m.
Sun., Jan. 2—1 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Open Area Gyms

With the chill of winter approaching and the beginning of another indoor season of gymnasium activities, demand for court time by users is at a premium. The following schools in Greenbelt offer open gym hours as follows: Greenbelt Middle School, Sundays 1-5 p.m. and the Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High School Sundays, 6-10 p.m.

Men's Basketball

Area teams will begin competition in Greenbelt's 1983 Men's Basketball League on Sunday, January 2nd. All games will be played at the Greenbelt Youth Center on Sunday evenings. Spectators are welcome to come out and cheer for their favorite teams. No admission will be charged.

Coupons

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is now selling Entertainment '83 booklets. These coupon booklets contain hundreds of get-acquainted two-for-one offers from well-known attractions in the area. The purchaser and his guest are invited to dine out, attend theatres, sports, concerts, shows and more. For further information on fees and purchasing, call the Recreation Department.

Health Aides to the Rescue

When adhesive strip is needed, or a more serious injury occurs in Prince Georges County public schools, usually it is the health aide who comes to the rescue—probably without the siren, but always with gentle concern for the well-being of students and staff.

So busy were the system's 113 health aides last year that they helped 380,780 people in the school health rooms last year, an average of three visits for each of the system's 116,000 students.

Working closely with the Community Health Nurses of the county health department, the school health aides were trained in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). They handle minor and major illnesses and injuries that occur during school hours and also administer authorized medications. They also assist in health screenings.

ment Business Office, Monday-Friday, 9-5, at 474-6878.

Volleyball and Roller Skating

The Recreation Department's activities, Volleyball and Roller Skating, held in the Center Elementary School Gym, will be cancelled during the school holiday recess and will resume on Monday, January 3, 1983.

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CITY NOTES

Members of the general crew were busy Dec. 12-14 working on snow and ice control on streets and parking lots. The parks crew removed snow and ice from sidewalks and in the Center.

The general crew cleaned storm drains on Research Road between Ridge and Hillside in preparation for the final inspection and approval by WSSC. WSSC could then take over that portion of the system. The general crew also installed a handicap parking sign in Springhill Lake and patched potholes on various streets. Maintenance was done on the snow plow units.

The regular trash crew was assisted by members of the general crew on Monday and Tuesday because slippery conditions caused by the snow and ice slowed the collectors down.

The parks crew removed dead trees in the Lake Park and the leaf vacuum was out one day.

In response to reports that there was an odor around Greenbelt Lake, the city's Public Works Director and Parks Superintendent checked the situation. It is their opinion that the odor is being caused by the accumulation of vegetation and scum material at the dam and bay areas. This accumulation is due to normal wind action and lack of any heavy rains recently to flush the lake. Public Works and Parks staff will continue to monitor the situation.

Frank Gomez
Wishes
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To All

County Opens Registration For Drivers' Education

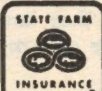
Registration forms for all Prince Georges County after school driver education programs that will be offered between January and May 1983 have been available in all high schools since Monday, December 13. Anyone interested in registering for these courses should complete a registration form and return the completed form to the Driver Education School by Wednesday, January 5.

Students who registered for fall sessions and were not selected should, if interested, re-submit an application for the 1983 after school programs.

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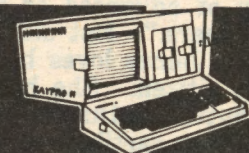


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If your valves have not been tagged or you have additional valves, use the process of elimination to find the valve that controls your outside faucet. Homes without washing machines have 3 valves under the sink, and homes with washing machines have 5.

Leave the inside valve closed and the outside faucet open until Spring. Then you can reverse the procedure and use your outside spigot as you need it.

Mark the control valve, so that you can repeat this next year easily.

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU FOLLOW THIS PROCEDURE TO AVOID PIPES FREEZING AND HAVING TO PAY FOR EXPENSIVE REPAIRS.

If you have any questions, please call the maintenance department, 474-6011.

Greenbelt's Great

by Sandra Barnes

She calls herself "a maiden lady of advanced or uncertain years." Not old. At 74, Janet James loves being a senior citizen. She has a heart flutter, arthritis, diabetes, a torn cartilage in her knee (which she swears she didn't get playing football), and a cataract in one eye, but "I never felt better in my life," she proclaims. "Everything is under control."

Short-cropped, snow white hair frames an angular face. Only a slight bend in her shoulders and faint lines traced along her pale cheeks betray her age. Proudly she ushers her visitor through her tiny Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) "honeymoon cottage," which she shares with Amy, her tricolored cat.

The cat, Janet explains, is named after Amy Carter because she found her while the Carters were at Blair House awaiting Jimmy's inauguration. A staunch Republican, Janet has been chided about naming her cat for a Democratic President's daughter. "Well," she explains matter-of-factly, "Susan (Ford) left, but Amy came."

Janet grew up in Iowa. Her father was an Episcopal clergyman and she moved around quite a bit as a child. Not because they couldn't pay their rent, she laughingly recalls. She would have wanted to be a minister herself, such is her deep faith and abiding interest. But she was a girl, and the ministry was not open to her. So she became a secretary instead, taking the Civil Service examination and coming to Washington, D.C. in those early depression years of the 30's.

"They did away with my first job at the Interstate Commerce Commission," she states in her firm, midwestern accent, "so I got a job at the IRS. I figured they would never do away with taxes," she chuckles.

Her career with the IRS advanced. Beginning as a typist, she retired as an engineering aide, having written several authoritative revenue rulings on depreciation and depletion rates for minerals, among others. She was the recipient of three outstanding ratings and awards. She recalls how a fellow board member of GHI tried to explain to her, a mere woman, what depreciation meant and how she very patiently tried to explain to him that, yes, she was very familiar with that part of the tax law.

Throughout her life, she has encountered male prejudice.

"In the fall of 1938, I finished paying for a 5-acre tract near Norbeck, Md.," she recalls, "I could not immediately afford to build a house on it, but I decided to build a little cottage which would become a wing of the house and I could use it summer-times. I needed to borrow only \$750 with what I had to get it done."

"I tried two banks in the District and one in Maryland and all refused even to take my application unless I had a brother or male cousin who would co-sign the note with me, even though I was willing to mortgage the land. One was even rude and asked if I thought they were a charitable organization lending to a 'girl like you.' I was 30 years of age at the time."

"Recently I received a letter from a large New York bank soliciting a loan from me of

were expanding their services and wanted professional women and women with good credit ratings as their customers! Such is the irony of changing times," she reflects with a tinge of bitterness.

Her life-long friends, Mary Norton and Dortha Lederberry she met in 1931. They are with her still as fellow neighbors in



— photo by Sandra Barnes

\$3500. to \$15,000. because they GHI, practically across the court from each other, just as they had been side by side at their government jobs.

Although she moved to Greenbelt in 1963, it wasn't until 1969 when she retired from the IRS, that she became active in GHI affairs. First, she served on the audit committee, then the board for two years. She lost one election to the board, but again served on the Audit Committee and Nominations and Elections Committee, the latter for eight years, four years as chairman.

Given Janet's strict moral upbringing, she admits to a bit of righteous indignation, coupled with delight, toward those who impugn her motives on GHI matters. Known as a strong supporter of GHI and management policies, Janet draws the ire of those who are often on the other side. "That damn woman!" she has been called when she speaks her mind, which is often. Another sometime foe, a woman, always seemed to avoid Janet when both were at the Center Mall going into stores whenever she caught a glimpse of the white-haired lady with the determined gait and hearty "hello." Janet laughs uproariously remembering how this same woman ducked into a barbershop on one occasion to avoid her.

Proudly independent, Janet delights in wearing the T-shirt with the slogan, "A woman without a man is like a fish without a bicycle." Nevertheless, she will regale her visitors with stories about her two marriage proposals. The first occurred while she was at the Internal Revenue Service and she was responding to a query by a gentleman. After she completed answering his questions, he suddenly asked, "Will you marry me?" Taken aback, Janet remained speechless for a moment, at which point he said, "It would be so nice to have someone in the family who knows about taxes."

Recovering her composure, Janet asked, "How many wives do you have already?"

"Just one," he unabashedly replied.

The other proposal came several years later, when she was in her early 40s. Her mother had just died and she was living with her elderly father. A neighbor down the street, in his 70s (old to her then) asked her father quite properly if he could court her. Well, she said, try-

ing to discourage him without being impolite, "My mother has just died and it would not be proper."

Whereupon he said, "Do you know why I'm interested in you?"

"No," she responded.

"You're a good worker and I can't abide a lazy woman!" She laughs again. So much for romance.

Nevertheless, she loves the apron she bought which says "Sexy Senior Citizen" and the one which she thought said "Don't Expect Miracles" but, when she arrived home and examined it closely with a friend, read "Don't expect marriage."

Still active in GHI affairs, though not serving in an elected capacity, Janet fills her days with numerous projects. She rides a stationary bicycle 20 minutes a day, pedaling six miles to the classical music on WGMS. Two years ago, she gave up riding a real bicycle when her doctor told her she had hardening of the arteries and it would be dangerous if she fell. This later turned out to be incorrect but she had already sold the bike. She also does the Air Force exercises, "only on level one because of my age," she modestly proclaims. The rest of her day might be spent driving a friend to the doctor, presiding as president of the Super 60s (club) of College Park, taking care of a sick friends bills. She only recently gave up driving two days a week for Help By Phone because, "I decided to go to college and get a bachelor of art's degree." It has been a life-long ambition. "I want to major in history," she says. "I hope I live long enough." In addition, she carries on a voluminous correspondence with friends and family all over the country, and some abroad. She maintains her friendships from her Iowa days, and her house is filled with mementos and gifts from those she has befriended over the years. "I like people," she affirms. "I guess it shows."

She is close to family, her one surviving brother and numerous nieces and nephews. She visits with them off and on. One niece she raised for several years, suddenly "becoming the mother of a 110 pound, 13-year-old girl." With no experience, she took two hours off from her job once a week to seek counseling on how to be a good mother.

She is an avid reader of history, detective stories, and Biblical works. Her deep religious convictions were rewarded by what she describes as the high



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Janet James

point in her life when she was permitted to be the chalice (administering the chalice at Holy Communion) at St. Andrews.

Music is another love. She takes piano lessons, has written some music, with some pieces having been played in churches throughout the country, and she has studied music theory. She had to give up playing the violin when arthritis set into her shoulder. It was then that she transferred to the piano.

She adjusts with a shining kind of faith and a stubborn belief "I know I'm not going to back down if I know I'm right." Thus her numerous Letters to the Editor of the News Review.

"People tell me I should like embroidery and sewing, but I don't," she says. Coming from a long line of carpenters as well as clergy, she points with pride to the sewing machine table and teacart which she made from kits. These are more her style. Maybe it was growing up with three brothers ("I was one of four boys," she likes to say) that makes her voice so strong and her actions so decisive.

She enjoys being invited to talk about aging at the Prince Georges Community College class in psychology. There are four requisites to a happy old age, she tells the students: 1) an adequate income, 2) a resident family (her Greenbelt

friends and friends at church she considers her family), 3) useful activities, a hobby or volunteer work; and 4) good health.

Armed with those, Janet strides out to enjoy her life. One might add an optimistic outlook, inherited from her mother and father, whom she describes as "great optimists." She quotes her father quoting Shakespeare:

"Our doubts are traitors

Which make us lose

The good we else would gain

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"That's why I think I can go to college," she states firmly.

Janet James — one of Greenbelt's great.

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David E. Jones, son of Cornell L. and Lila M. B. Jones of Springhill Dr., has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of staff sergeant. He is an administration specialist at Hill Air Force Base, Utah, with the 1881st Communications Squadron.

Ann McCracken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard D. Larkin, entered the freshman class at Bryn Mawr College this fall. She is a graduate of Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

Six Greenbelters are featured in the 5th annual edition of the National Deans List. They are: William J. Bonstra, University of Maryland at College Park; Amy L. Clayton, University of Maryland, Baltimore; Rudi A. Distler, University of Maryland at College Park; Minnie E. Harris, Morgan State University; Michael L. King, Saint Johns College; Patricia A. Meyer, University of Maryland at College Park.

Paul D. Felsher, son of Albert and Rosemary Felsher, will be listed in the 1983 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. Felsher attends the University of North Carolina at Wilmington.

The following Greenbelters are featured in the 16th annual edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students: Joseph Cain, Stephen Jascourt, Kerry Moriarty, and Elizabeth L. Tafoya.

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On Friday, December 31, the library system will close at 5 p.m. and remain closed on New Year's Day, Saturday, January 1, and Sunday, January 2. Regular hours will resume Monday, January 3.

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SENIOR CITIZENS

by Harvey Geller
Elderhostel

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Total cost for the six-day sessions this past year was \$150. Participants are expected to provide their own transportation to the facility. More information and a catalog of the programs being offered can be obtained by writing to Elderhostel, 100 Boylston Street, Suite 200, Boston MA 02116.

The Summer 1982 catalog had programs in 49 different states, eight Canadian Provinces, England and Scotland. Summer programs started during the last week in May and continued through the end of August. The courses given were so varied that there is something of interest to everyone. Just browsing through the 88-page catalog is enough to stimulate one's interest.

This past summer, my wife and I attended the program at Memramcook Institute in New Brunswick, Canada. The facilities were outstanding, although we were told that the accommodations were not what one usually found at the Elderhostel. We had a private room with a private bathroom. The three meals were as good as some that I have had at resort hotels, although these were served cafeteria style. The three educational courses were Acadian History and Culture, Dealing with Stress, and Local Arts and Crafts.

In addition, special tours were arranged to permit us to visit some of the local attractions. This included a visit to Moncton to see the tidal bore (the very high tides in the area cause some of the rivers to run upstream during high tide), and magnetic hill (where your car appears to coast uphill), and the lobster festival at Shadiac.

The Elderhostel also affords one the opportunity to meet SC's from other parts of the country. Attending the session with us were SC's from Florida, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Canada, and Maine. One group from Florida was using the Elderhostel to arrange a tour of the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada. They had already attended programs in Virginia, Tennessee, and Pennsylvania, and were going to programs in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Even though you are not planning to attend an Elderhostel in the near future, I would suggest that all SC's write and request a catalog. It provides you with some information on a program that is geared to the SC, and one never knows when there may be a specific program that is of very special interest to you.

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Jim Holmes of the CARES staff participated in the Stay'n Alive presentation on Tuesday evening at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Stay'n Alive is a community based drug awareness program.

Recently CARES was visited by Ronald Schmidt, Prevention Specialist, Juvenile Services Administration, and Susan Davis, Juvenile Services Administration, second year graduate student, University of Maryland School of Social Work and Community Planning. They conducted an on-site evaluation of the CARES program.

The G.E.D. Class of 13 participants concluded its fall semester. The next session of classes will begin February 1. Anyone interested is encouraged to contact Johnnie Franklin for further details.

At the December 8 meeting of the Advisory Planning Board William Wilkerson was unanimously elected to serve as the board's chairman. Former chairman Donald Volk was elected vice chairman.

County Awards Breakfast

Applications are now being accepted for the Tenth Anniversary Prince Georges County Breakfast of Champions.

Individuals and teams who have reached international, national, or regional levels of elimination competition in arts, academics, athletics, special olympics, career development or other fields, who reside in Prince Georges County, or who represent the County, will be considered.

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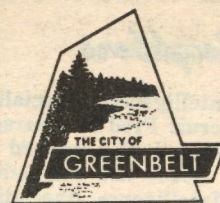
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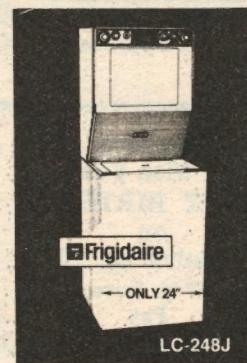
In accordance with Federal Regulations, notice is hereby given that the City of Greenbelt has filed with the Office of Revenue Sharing the 1982 Survey of Municipal or Township Finances (Form F-21A). A copy of this report is available for public inspection at the City Manager's office, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.



LOCATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL

Christmas trees may be dropped off at the following locations for pickup by the City beginning January 3, 1983.

- Playground opposite 73 court Ridge Road
- Corner of Research and Hillside Roads
- Playground at Plateau Place and Ridge Road
- Corner of Eastway and Crescent Roads
- Entrance to 21 court Ridge Road (Across from Green Ridge House)
- Area adjacent to Candy Cane City
- Playground at junction of Crescent and Ridge Roads
- Playground at Ivy Lane and Lastner Lane
- Charlestowne Village & Charlestowne North - Adjacent to Lake Park service road
- University Square - Front of Swimming Pool
- Lakeside North - Near Swimming Pool
- Springhill Lake Community Building
- Greenbriar
- Between Buildings: 7708 and 7710, 7728 and 7730 7826 and 7828 Hanover Parkway
- Between Buildings: 8003 and 8009 Mandan Road
- Glen Oaks
- Between Buildings: 7903 and 7905; 7509 and 7511 Mandan Road
- Windsor Green
- Adjacent to playground on Canning Terrace
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